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### EDITOR’S NOTE

Tim Schrag  
editor-in-chief

An article in the Oct. 21 issue of the Collegian about a United Way fund-raising event called Give It Up for Good contained several errors. The event, which is sponsored by the United Way of Riley County and is managed by the Student United Way of Riley County, was first held in 2010 [check!]. It was not held

for the first time this year. The article, entitled “Student reduces trash, benefits charities,” referred to an award given to the United Way in May for the Give It Up for Good event, but the award was given for a different event. The United Way of Riley County and its student organization declined to comment for this note but released a fact sheet about the Give It Up for Good program.

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# To reduce budget, city commission might eliminate social service funding

**Jakki Thompson**  
staff writer

Commissioners discussed plans for upcoming budgets at the city commission work session Tuesday night. Some of these budgets involved the possible reduction or elimination of social service agency funding support from the city commission.

"When I first heard about this, I was completely appalled by the lack of significance this would make on the city," said Annarose Hart, senior in journalism and agricultural communications. "It is less than 1 percent of the entire city budget, yet it is so vital to so many of these organizations who receive funding from the city."

The organizations that fall under the social service agencies category include Big Brothers Big Sisters, the Boys and Girls Club, the Manhattan Crisis

Center Inc., Homecare and Hospice, Kansas Legal Services, the KSU Child Development, Manhattan Day Care and Learning Centers Inc., Sunflower CASA Project Inc., Shepherd's Crossing, Manhattan Emergency Shelter Inc. and the UFM.

"The money that comes from the city to these organizations does not completely provide all of the funds these organizations need to function," said Jim Sherow, mayor of Manhattan and professor of history. "It sets a minimum baseline that these organizations know that they will have. Most organizations use this base money as a way to ask for matching grants from the federal or state governments. No agency is thinking that they will not be able to not operate without this money."

Although the city's funding is used as a baseline, some commissioners question the validity of the commission supplying

funds to these organizations.

City commissioner Wynn Butler was interested in setting different priorities for the city of Manhattan when he was elected on the commission. Butler said he wanted to see money spent on infrastructure and essential services and limit the role of what the city's mission is.

"We have to ask ourselves which of these organizations are essential," Butler said. "People got upset when we started prioritizing certain organizations over others. A different idea I had was to gradually decrease the funding to these organizations. Evaluation of this will show how much these organizations really need this funding or how much of an impact it has on them."

One of the organizations that would be facing more than \$27,000 in cuts is Sunflower CASA. This is a local organization that gives support to

children and adolescents who are a part of the juvenile court system. The K-State sorority Kappa Alpha Theta helps support Sunflower CASA by donating money to this organization as their philanthropy.

"I was incredibly upset when I found out this," said Annie Cutler, member of Kappa Alpha Theta and junior in public relations and political science. "I know how important funding is and if CASA doesn't get as much funding, that determines how many kids they can help."

Cutler said she thought social services funding, as well as arts and music funding, were always the first on the chopping block. She said there is rarely public opposition to cutting them, but they always seem the most important to people.

"Our sorority prides ourselves on being able to keep the money we raise for our philanthropy local," Hart said. "The de-

cision of the commission comes down to principle. This is going to come down to what is right and wrong. The people with the privilege and the power are not doing what is right."

**"The money that comes from the city to these organizations does not completely provide all of the funds these organizations need to function"**

**Jim Sherow**  
mayor of Manhattan and professor of history

The commission has made evaluating the budget needs of the city a priority because the commission's influx of money

is insufficient to fund the city's needs.

City commissioner Rich Jankovich said there is a philosophical difference between current and past commissions.

"We have to look at whether or not these services should be funded through the city," Jankovich said. "There are other pieces of this that may not be considered essential services here. We need to look at what needs to be cut and what needs to stay. This is not a part of the essential mission of the city."

The city commission is feeling the burden of making critical decisions for the city. Some of these decisions will affect the social service agencies of the city.

"What characterizes a community?" Sherow said. "Is it the ability to pool its resources so that nobody falls below a certain safety net? I believe there is a role for the public in providing social services."

## K-State daily briefs

**Karen Ingram**  
news editor

Members of the 2nd Heavy Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division are returning to Fort Riley this weekend after a yearlong deployment to Iraq. Approximately 200 soldiers will be returning on Saturday and 200 more on Sunday. Another 350 are expected next Wednesday, Nov. 2. More than 3,000 members of the "Dagger" Brigade were deployed in November 2010 in support of Operation New Dawn. This was their second deployment to Iraq since their return to Fort Riley from Germany. Their last deployment was in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from October 2008 to September 2009.

Tickets are still available for performing artist Jeremy Camp's show at the Stiefel Theatre in Salina on Oct. 27 at 7:30 p.m. Camp's critical and commercial success began in 2001, when he wrote a number of songs related to the death of his wife, Melissa, from cancer. Tickets range from \$32 to \$44, with a \$15 group rate for six or more. For more information, visit stiefeltheatre.org or call 785-827-1998.

Princess Farhana, an internationally acclaimed dancer, will be in Manhattan to give belly dancing and burlesque workshops and a performance. There will be two workshops on Saturday, Nov. 5, and one on Sunday, Nov. 6, at the City Auditorium, 1101 E. Poyntz Ave., near the fire station. Princess Farhana has performed for dignitaries and celebrities around the world, including the Saudi Arabian royal family, former first lady Hillary Clinton, Al Pacino, the Rolling Stones and more. Registration must be completed by Nov. 4. For more information on times and pricing, visit princessinthelittleapple.eventbrite.com. Questions may be directed to eyes.of.bastet@gmail.com.

## LECTURE | On retirement, former senator 'tells it like it is'

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ing the budget on the backs of poor, old seniors," Simpson said. "We're just trying to make the system solvent for the next 75 years."

Simpson said that, in his opinion, AARP is all about the marketing and they don't "give a whip about their grandkids." He talked about the AARP magazine having sex tips and a full-page ad for confidential tapes targeting seniors about having sex.

"He told it like it is," Flinchbaugh said. "So he exceeded my expectations, and they were pretty high."

"It was really interesting to hear what he had to say on topics that I was learning about in class," said Claire Carlson, sophomore in agricultural communications and journalism. "I'm really glad I went, he was an entertaining man."



Tommy Theis | Collegian

Three members of the Westboro Baptist Church picketed outside of McCain Auditorium on Wednesday morning. Two Army veterans also took advantage of the free speech area to picket against the church members.

## SGA to discuss first-year student life enrichment

**Jakki Thompson**  
staff writer

The Student Senate will be voting on the final action items to allocate funds to the creative arts experience committee and to Women In Design at its meeting tonight. Student Senate will also be voting on the creation of a first-year experience committee that will im-

prove the lives of freshmen and transfer students during their first year on campus. Many people from campus are slated to speak to the senate. Introduction of new legislation will include the proposal of allocating funds to the educational opportunity fund and a possible increase in University Counseling Services privilege fees.

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# Musicians add ‘whole new level of entertainment’ to jazz concert

**Haley Rose**  
staff writer

The K-State Jazz Studies program hosted its first concert of the school year on Wednesday night in Forum Hall, featuring the Lab A and Concert Jazz Ensembles. The ensembles, both of the “big band” variety, played an assortment of songs that paid tribute to big band greats, such as Duke Ellington and Woody Herman.

The Concert Jazz Ensemble is K-State’s premiere jazz group, with Lab A as the secondary. Lab A, directed by Gordon Lewis, began the night with four of their “strongest pieces,” said Caleb Kuhlman, sophomore in music education and trumpet player in Lab A.

“I was really pleased with our sound and balance,” Lewis said.

After four songs from Lab A, the jazz ensemble took the stage and their performance featured solos from every member of the band.

“The students did super,” said Frederick Burrack, director of the jazz ensemble. “That’s a big deal, to improvise a solo in front of an audience.”

Both ensembles were playing “masterpieces,” Burrack said. “These were the signature pieces of the early part of the 21st century.”

“It was a lot of fun, there was a lot of energy,” said Brett Eichman, pianist in the jazz ensemble and sophomore in music education. “I hope it looked like we were having fun.”

The bands, both comprised of a horn and saxophone section, drums, piano, bass — both stand-up and electric — and guitar, played their sets with smiles and focus, occasionally tapping their feet or bobbing their heads when a fellow musician was soloing.

At one point during the concert, part of the trumpet section and the guitarist, Nick Yoder, junior in biology, pulled out shakers and a set of bongos and assisted with percussion effects. Later, while the concert ensemble was playing “Us” by Thad Jones, the horns section moved into the side aisles of the audience with trombones on one side and trumpets on the other.

“Things like that are just special touches that [Burrack] comes up with and just adds a whole new level of entertainment to the show,” said Wayne Goins, director of Jazz Studies and concert ensemble director. Goins, who is currently on sabbatical, attended the show and even got up on stage during the last song of the evening.

“It felt great to be on stage as a guitar player because usually when I’m on stage I don’t get a chance to play with the jazz band,” he said, “which is something I missed, so I really enjoyed it.”

While Goins has been on sabbatical this past semester, Burrack has taken charge of the jazz ensemble.

“When I learned I was going to be taking a break, he was the first person I thought of to take over,” Goins said. “The kids are loving him and I’m proud of him and of the band, he’s done such a good job in just a month.”

Burrack also expressed his satisfaction with the performance.

“Being able to do this is wonderful,” he said. “There’s nothing better than music. It’s one of the most glorious experiences in life.”

The concert was well received by the approximately 80 audience members, who applauded each soloists’ performance and after each song.

“They had a good feel, a good sense of togetherness,” said Drew Szczesny, junior in electrical engineering and music.

The performance was recorded by Brown Bear Sound, and CDs of the recording can be purchased for \$5. They can either be picked up at the next concert or mailed. For more information, contact David Brown of Brown Bear Sound at David@Brown-BearSound.com.

The jazz program’s next free performance will be the Halloween Jazz Jam at Union Station on Oct. 31 at 7:30. There will also be a performance of Duke Ellington’s entire album “Nutcracker Suite” on Nov. 29.

# sports

## Wildcats survive five-set thriller against the Tigers

**Mark Kern**  
assistant sports editor

The Wildcats began the second part of the conference schedule hosting the Missouri Tigers in front of a crowd of just under 2800 people. The crowd was into the match the whole night as the Wildcats were able to pull out the victory in five sets (21-25, 25-13, 25-16, 21-25, 15-11).

K-State’s Caitlyn Donahue posted the school’s first triple-double since Gabby Guerre’s performance Nov. 3, 2004, against the Iowa State Cyclones.

The first set started as a back and forth as the two teams traded points early in the set. With the score tied at 13, Missouri scored the next three points to take a three-point lead which created a little separation from the Wildcats. The Cats were able to battle back and pull to within one at 22-21. However, the Tigers scored the next three points of the set to get the victory and take the one set lead.

The teams again traded points early in the second set, but this time it was the Wildcats that took over the set. Fueled by a team effort that saw four players have multiple kills in the set, the Wildcats were able to pull away from the Tigers and go on to win the set by double digits.

The Wildcats continued their success as they got off to a quick lead in the third set and forced the Tigers to call a timeout with the score 9-5, Wildcats. The timeout did not work as the Wildcats extended the lead out to 18-11 and forced Missouri to use another timeout in hope of slowing down the Wildcats’ momentum. Once again, it worked to no avail as the team went on to win the set and take a 2-1 lead.

However, the Tigers were not going to concede the defeat and came out in the fourth set with an added energy.

The fourth set was similar to the first one in that the Wildcats got down early and were never able to completely get back in the game. Head coach Suzie Fritz was a little disappointed with her team’s performance in this set.

“We talk to our players about the importance of not getting down when we get pressure put on us, and it was just a little disappointing to see us tense up and not play as well as we had been in the earlier sets,” she said.

This means that for the second time this season, the Wildcats went to a fifth set in the match.

In the fifth set, the Wildcats were able

to jump out to a 7-3 lead. The Tigers were able to cut the lead down to one, but after a timeout the Wildcats extended the lead and never let the Tigers get close again.

After the match, Donahue talked about her career high and record breaking night.

“I think those sort of things are ones that come with great volleyball,” Donahue said. “My teammates all played great and my coaches put me that position. Coming into the match the coaches made a point to tell me to be more aggressive, to dump more and to attack more, and it worked out for us.”

Fritz was also very proud of her junior setter. “She can do so many things well,” Fritz said. “From a setting perspective she put her hitters in better situations tonight.”

The Wildcats moved to (16-7, 5-4) on the season. They will be in Waco, Texas on Saturday as they take on the Baylor Bears. First serve is scheduled for 7 p.m. and can be heard on KMAN-AM 1350 with Rob Voelker announcing the game.

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**Caitlyn Donahue** keeps the ball in play while falling to the floor Wednesday night at Ahearn Fieldhouse as the Wildcats hosted the Missouri Tigers.



The K-State volleyball team played the Missouri Tigers on Wednesday night in Ahearn Fieldhouse. The Wildcats have four remaining home matches this season.

## Two-minute drill

**Monty Thompson**  
sports editor

**NFL**

After suffering an ankle injury last week against the Atlanta Falcons, Detroit quarterback Matthew Stafford has started practicing with the team again. At this time, Stafford is day-to-day as the team prepares for its game against Denver. Backup Shaun Hill has taken snaps with the first team this week in practice and will replace Stafford if he is unable to play.

**MLB**

Earlier this week, Ben Cherington was introduced as the new general manager for the Boston Red Sox. Cherington has been with the Red Sox organization for 14 years, and prior to becoming Boston’s general manager, had been offered the position of president of baseball operations for the Chicago Cubs.

**NBA**

The World All-Star Classic, featuring nearly two dozen NBA players, is set to begin this week. Players will travel across four continents, playing six games a week for two weeks, starting on Oct. 30 in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Each player is expected to make roughly \$1 million, with most of the proceeds going to charity. The tour will close in Melbourne, Australia on Nov. 9.

**NCAA**

Three Louisiana State University players have returned to practice this week after serving a one-week suspension for violating the team’s drug policy. All three players sat out last week during the 45-10 blowout against Auburn. LSU will hit the road on Nov. 5 after serving a bye week to take on second-ranked Alabama in a matchup between the nation’s two top-ranked teams.

# K-State women’s, men’s basketball teams ready to start season

**Kelly McHugh**  
staff writer

Yesterday K-State men’s and women’s basketball coaches and players gathered in Bramlage Coliseum to give their thoughts and answer questions that the media had regarding the upcoming season.

The event began with the women’s head coach, Deb Patterson, who talked about her views for the season.

“We’re excited about what we consider opening up a new season in a completely new looking league,” Patterson said.

Patterson said she thinks the new round-robin schedule is going to be an interesting change to Big 12 Conference basketball.

“Now we’re going to go against, twice a year, those top-25 powers; it’s going to be a great challenge and a new look for all of us,” Patterson said.

She believes the Big 12 is the “toughest league in America,” and that this year is going to be an especially exciting one for women’s basketball.

Patterson has faith in her returning players and shared her optimism in her new ones.

Patterson shared comments about returning guard, junior Brittany Chambers: “She makes shots that I just drop my jaw over.” When asked what Chambers has improved on, Patterson said they are working on approving her as an assist player.

However, Patterson said, “I

don’t want to ever take away her shot first mentality, because I think that’s what makes her great, there’s so few female players that you see walk into programs like ours that are just like, ‘I’m a shoot first player.’”

Patterson talked about another returning guard, junior Mariah White, who has had a great summer of training and who she believes will be an asset to the team with her strength and consistent comfort level on the court.

Senior forward Jalana Childs was diagnosed with a bone fracture in February of this year which took longer than expected to heal. “I think we have to give her a long window in the non-conference play to get back into step,” Patterson said, “because she literally was not running up and down the court until September.”

It was an unfortunate injury for the women’s team, Patterson said, because last season Childs and Chambers worked together very well, and she is not sure how long it will take Childs to get back into step with Chambers.

“There were four of five games where those two literally took the team on their shoulders possession by possession the last eight minutes and won basketball games for us, Jalana is not anywhere near being ready to do that in this stage of the season,” she said.

But the hopes for new players are high, Patterson expressed, as she explained

the strengths of new players: freshmen Ashia Woods, Heidi Brown and Haley Texada, Tasha Dickey, senior transfer from Arizona and junior transfer from Nebraska, Katya Leick.

After Patterson closed K-State men’s basketball head coach, Frank Martin, took the floor.

Martin jumped right into answering questions about his players. The first among discussion was returning

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**Deb Patterson**  
head women’s basketball coach

senior, Jamar Samuels. Over the summer Samuels gained almost 30 pounds.

“It’s as clear as day, an athlete’s engine is their body, if their body is not strong and efficient, that car won’t run real good, you know, and Jamar finally understood that,” Martin said.

According to Martin, Samuels had really picked up on responsibilities, from the foods he eats, to his performance in the classroom and has used those responsibilities on the

basketball court by having his best stretch of practices during his time playing for K-State.

“He’s been pretty focused and pretty committed to just everything it takes to be a student athlete,” Martin said. “You guys should see what they do on the floor on game day; there’s a lot of other responsibilities that take place over the course of the day and he’s been a lot more committed over the last six months, and I think that’s going to help him become better and produce more.”

Martin is looking forward to using Samuel’s consistency in his playing this season.

Junior Rodney McGruder was also among the popular discussion.

Martin said McGruder is fully recovered after experiencing tendonitis last season.

“Coming off of tendonitis, he can now cut the ball pain free,” Martin said. “And watching him at practice, it’s obvious that he can move better.”

Martin said tendonitis is not an injury, it is just what happens to “guys that work real hard” like McGruder.

Looking toward the upcoming season, Martin said, “He’s pretty healthy right now, and I hope it stays that way.”

Sophomore Will Spradling is entering the season after playing in all 34 games last season as a freshman. Martin said watching Spradling at practice has been fun because he has shown a high level of confidence and aggression.

Martin discussed the impression former player Jacob Pullen left on junior Martavius Irving, and how it shaped Irving and prepared him as a player this season.

“So you play 30 games, and you practice against Jake for 115 practices,” Martin said. “Well, there’s a lot more practices to improve on than games, and he was faced with that; having to defend Jake, having to score on Jake, and I’m pleased with where he’s at.”

New players to be on the lookout for this season are, as Martin said, freshman Thomas Gipson who, at 270 pounds, is “not scared to throw his body around,” freshman Adrian Diaz who will be an asset when the game is up and down and plays consistently upon receiving the ball, freshman point guard Angel Rodriguez who is the “kind of guy who understands the tempo of the game,” and junior transfer, Jeremy Jones, from Seward County Community College, who is a quick player on and off the ball.

The players as well as the coaches expressed their excitement in this upcoming season.

“I think the team is just unique in itself,” senior Victor Ojeleye said. “Like I said earlier, this team is different than last year’s team, but it’s also going to be different than next year’s team, and as each person works on their skills and potential that makes us a unit and it continues to help us grow and find success.”

When asked how she felt about her team being picked as ninth in the league, Chambers said, “I think we’re used to it by now, I think we’re always picked below what we do, and it’s not something that we really let bother us. Obviously I would love to be respected more by the league, but if they’re not going to then we are going to prove it every year to them which we have no problem doing.”

McGruder said he believes this year’s team is his to lead. He plans “to lead by example, and just show the guys the ropes” the way Jacob Pullen and previous players did for him.

“I feel the best I’ve felt in a while, and I’m ready for Nov. 6,” McGruder said.

From 12:30 to 1:15 p.m. on Oct. 29, the Kansas State Basketball team will hold an open scrimmage to give fans a preview of the players before their first game on Nov. 6, against Fort Hays State University.

Martin said he is looking forward to Saturday’s open scrimmage since there was no Manhattan Madness this year.

“Our fans are too good to not give them something, so it’s a way for us to give our fans a preview of our team,” Martin said. “This way we still give our fans the opportunity to interact with players and watch them play, but see them in a more competitive fashion, and also make it productive for our team.”

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# THE DEAD ZONE

Website explores why people delete social media profiles



Emily DeShazer | Collegian

Social networking websites like Facebook are slowing in growth, which inspired Emil Israfil and Steve Peek to create Profile Graveyard, a website where users can explain why they decided to delete a profile. The website also includes features like a rating system to determine what accounts need to go and a clock that counts the total time users have saved by deleting accounts.

**Darrington Clark**  
staff writer

“Myspace is dead, Tumblr is on life support, Facebook is in the hospital, & Twitter is just sittin’ there laughing.” This tweet, posted April 18, was retweeted by hundreds of Twitter users. The message portrays the impact of today’s social media and networking trends. The newest site or blog system often arrives in a wave, and suddenly the previous one is left behind. As of Oct. 14, there is a website completely devoted to social networking sites that have “passed on.” Profile Graveyard, located at [profilegraveyard.com](http://profilegraveyard.com), is a forum-style website, similar to [fmylife.com](http://fmylife.com) or [twitter.com](http://twitter.com), where users can post a message that states why they deleted their social networking accounts from social networking websites, like Facebook and Google Plus, or from dating web-

sites. Since its launch, Profile Graveyard has attracted hundreds of users who use the site to share social networking horror stories. The creators of Profile Graveyard, Emil Israfil and Steve Peek, came up with the idea because of a friend’s social media “death.” “Steve and I had worked together in the past,” Israfil said. “We enjoyed making websites. One day, we were just sitting at a bar, talking about a friend who never used Facebook anymore. It was like he fell off the face of the earth. From there, our conversation led to the creation of a site.” The high number of users currently visiting Profile Graveyard is reflective of the number of people currently ridding themselves of social networking accounts. Traffic decreases at sites like Facebook, which experienced a second quarter of slowing growth, LinkedIn and even

Google Plus, which suffered a 60 percent drop since its launch, have been reported recently by social media surveys at [mashable.com](http://mashable.com) and

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**Emil Israfil**  
Profile Graveyard co-creator

[forbes.com](http://forbes.com). Why are people deleting their social network accounts? “I haven’t deleted any of my old accounts, but I want to,” said Carissa Welch, sophomore in life sciences.

“I haven’t figured out how to properly delete them. I want to get rid of them because new and more popular things were coming out, and I want to keep up.” Students are motivated to delete their accounts for many reasons. From minor reasons like keeping up with the times, to more urgent causes like cyber bullying or obsession, many social media protection sites like [nextadvisor.com](http://nextadvisor.com) and [business.advisor.com](http://business.advisor.com) caution young adults to be careful about how they manage their online social lives. “The only social networking site I use is Facebook,” said Samantha Yarber, freshman in engineering. “The only reason I would get rid of it would be because of too much drama online, or because I was bored. I only use it to keep in contact with my friends. I don’t want it to consume my life.” Israfil said he found that

people tend to spend quite a bit of time on social networking sites. Among the features of Profile Graveyard is a “time saved” clock, which calculates the total amount of time users have saved since deleting their account. The mass total so far comes to 23 years. “So many people take up their time with these social media sites. That time isn’t necessarily wasted, but there is a time and a place for it,” Israfil said. Other functions of Profile Graveyard include a rating system, where participants can decide if it was truly time to “kill” their account. There is also a map of the U.S. that illustrates which states have the most deleted accounts, and a “best of” option that allows users to see the highest-rated posts. “We had hoped the site would be popular, but we never expected it to be so well-received so quickly. We

were still technically in the beta testing period, and now we’re rushing to keep things in order,” Israfil said. “In the coming weeks, we will add and develop even more.” While the site chronicles the deletion of sites like Facebook, social media has boosted the circulation of Profile Graveyard. “Ironically, Facebook had a lot to do with people hearing about the site. Besides Steve and I going around to talk to people about it ourselves, people can ‘like’ our site on Facebook, and others come to it that way,” Israfil said. If it really is true that Myspace is dead and that other social networking sites are following suit, there is now a place where their former owners can lay them to rest. “We are very happy with it, and we expect Profile Graveyard to grow,” Israfil said.

## Does a college degree still equal success?

**Andy Rao**  
staff writer

In economically trying times like these, when jobs are scarce and job security is scarcer, Americans anxiously attempt to distinguish themselves from their competition in hopes of starting or even re-viving their careers. One option that many have taken advantage of is obtaining higher education, as more and more aspiring professionals have enrolled in universities. According to numbers gathered by the National Center for Education Statistics, full time enrollment in universities increased by 38 percent, from 14.8 million students in 1999 to 20.4 million students in 2009. Although many would interpret this sharp increase in those seeking a degree as progressive, some experts agree that U.S. colleges are starting to become overpopulated. There are many concerns to having too many students in college, but the main cause of distress seems to be the fact that many students are forced the idea that not having a degree will make them a failure. According to a February 2010 article in Time magazine by Ramesh Ponnuru, most people in their 20s who were in the workforce in 2007 had degrees that were not required in their current jobs.

Ponnuru pointed out that not only did students spend four years of their lives obtaining an often obsolete degree, but they could have had the same education at a fraction of the cost. Despite the paradigm that a college degree does not necessarily guarantee success, the percentage of Americans who believe that college is essential to success has increased from 31 percent to 55 percent since 2000. “We, as education professionals, will do our very best to provide resources to our students to give them a chance to succeed.” Anand Desai, associate dean of the College of Business

to work closely with the deans and department heads in our colleges to maintain a reasonable student-to-faculty ratio,” Bosco said. “Despite the increase in the number of students enrolling, K-State’s brand is putting students first, and regardless of the number of students, we aim to serve everybody and meet the needs of all of our students.” Bosco also said that there are inherent advantages to more students enrolling at K-State. “Because of the increase in enrollment, we have been able to increase our diversity within our student population, we have progressed in our freshman to sophomore retention rates and we hope that by 2025, we will be able to significantly increase our five-year graduation rates,” he said. Anand Desai, associate dean of the College of Business, also expressed his optimism in the increased enrollment, and saying he believes that people around the nation are starting to buy into the philosophy of obtaining a higher education. “I’m happy to see more students choose our college and

our university,” Desai said. “I think that it shows that more and more people are starting to recognize the value and the advantages of having a degree.” Desai also said that a degree is the first step toward success, and that students need to realize that they need to distinguish themselves from others pursuing similar degrees. “We, as education professionals, will do our very best to provide resources to our students to give them a chance to succeed,” Desai said. “But as students, it is also your responsibility to set yourself apart. Get involved in leadership roles, in community projects and look for opportunities to build skills other than the ones that you can in the classroom.” When asked whether he believes the increase in the number of college graduates would decrease the value of having a degree, Desai responded that the value of an education is unlikely to ever fade. “An educated population is important to have for any country,” Desai said. “What young people need to realize, however, is that no amount of qualifications and certifications can ever replace the hard work, sacrifice and patience required to succeed in any profession. You have to earn your stripes and establish your credibility, and having a college degree will only help you do that.”

### WEEKLY 10

## Top K-State-themed ideas for Cats in need of costumes

- Choosing a Halloween costume can be quite the daunting task. Make sure to check out these K-State inspired costumes. Each requires only a small amount of work, though they’d be made with a whole lot of love.
- 5. K-State’s “Where’s Waldo?”**  
Just like the classic version, except we are not Nebraska fans. Change those stripes to purple and stand behind everyone in photos.
- 10. Willie the Wildcat**  
If you plan to imitate K-State’s No. 1 fan for a night, make sure you get to be sloppy drunk and make a fool of yourself. Grab KU attire from the closest trashcan. No one will judge you for this one night.
- 9. A frat boy or sorority girl**  
Pop your collars, grab your Sperrys and live the stereotype to its fullest. The keg party awaits. Don’t forget your “bros.”
- 8. The Spork**  
It might be hard to pull off, but dress up as this campus monument and no one will question what you are. That is, if you have an object shaped as a spork on your head.
- 7. Squirrel**  
Join the overabundance of squirrels we have on campus. Get a brown sweater, feather duster and begin your quest begging for food.
- 6. Pat Bosco**  
It’s time to suit up. Make sure you have your purple suit on and introduce yourself to everyone in the room, even to those who aren’t there.

- 4. KU fan**  
This is by far the ugliest costume choice. This is the one night you get to be sloppy drunk and make a fool of yourself. Grab KU attire from the closest trashcan. No one will judge you for this one night.
- 3. Bill Snyder**  
There are two versions to this costume: the classic, on-the-field look with Nikes and a purple pullover, or suited up for any other appearance. Remember, Bill doesn’t get drunk — he gets awesome.
- 2. Bike cop**  
If you can pull off the span-dex shorts, please do so. Make sure to pull over pedestrians talking on their cell phones.
- 1. Ecokat**  
Enough said.

This weekly 10 was compiled by editors Tim Schrag, Kelsey Castanon, Karen Ingram and Laura Thacker. Each is majoring in something special to them. Maybe not to you. Please send comments to [edge@spub.ksu.edu](mailto:edge@spub.ksu.edu).



# AMBASSADOR | Online student ambassador polls to close at 5 tonight

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get to vote for the final two ambassadors, there has been some concern that the process is not reaching a broad range of students.

Maggie Stephens, senior in geography, said that she did not know any of the candidates this year.

"I haven't heard anything about this year's campaign," Stephens said. "I think that a lot of times, those types of things are geared toward the

greek community, especially Homecoming events."

"I believe that at least four of our candidates this year are greek. It does revolve around Homecoming so it does have that greek influence. It's not intended to be that way. We had several applicants this year that were not greek. We're very welcoming to those students on campus. We try to get [the candidates] out as much as we can," Hargrave said.

The candidates will be at

the parade on Friday, riding as three pairs in convertibles.

Students can vote today for the 2011-12 student ambassadors from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. online.

"I think voting is very important because it is going to be the two students that for the next year are going to represent K-State," Hargrave said.

"The caliber of the students remains the same. All the ones who are the finalists are outstanding ambassadors," Button Renz said.



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The three male ambassador candidates, **Andrew Waldman**, junior in industrial engineering, **Matt Marchesini**, senior in management, and **Christopher Cunningham**, sophomore in entrepreneurship, answer questions by current ambassador Darren Allison, senior in marketing, at Wildcat Request Live in Bramlage Stadium on Oct. 25.

## WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE THING ABOUT K-STATE?

"One of my favorite parts about K-State is just the atmosphere in general. Coming from out of state, I've been accepted as a native Kansan almost and it's really great to meet so many different people who have so many different opportunities that they have been able to get here at K-State."

**Matt Marchesini**  
senior in marketing

"One of my favorite parts about K-State really, easily, is the family atmosphere because you can't walk from one end of campus to the other without seeing somebody or seeing a friendly smile from either a friend or a complete stranger. I think it's the value that this university places on you as a person."

**Andrew Waldman**  
junior in industrial engineering

"It definitely has to be the family atmosphere. It's just great for me that K-State has become a place to call home. I'm the youngest of three siblings and they all found home in different places and it's so great going into my junior year that I've really found a place to call home. Especially within my greek living organization, and my work through K-State Proud. So definitely Manhattan is a place to call home. I'm really proud to be a Wildcat."

**Rachel King**  
junior in political science

"My favorite part about K-State is just the family atmosphere and how we can all come together in family and in love and all fight for the same cause. We are such a great university and that is what we are driven with; family values. That's what I really love about K-State."

**Phillicia Thomas**  
junior in mass communications

"My favorite part would have to be the fellowship here. The student body, the faculty and the alumni, we really are a family and we serve one another. That fellowship and that commitment to service is what keeps me here."

**Sophia Dongilli**  
junior in Spanish and international studies

"My favorite part about K-State is definitely the family atmosphere and the togetherness of our community. We are definitely a campus that supports one another and encourages growth."

**Christopher Cunningham**  
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# Brown Bag Lunch focuses on women’s health, breast cancer awareness

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In honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, the Women of K-State’s biweekly Brown Bag Lunch series gathered to discuss women’s health issues on Wednesday. The meeting emphasized issues that concern women the most, like breast cancer risk, prevention and screening.

Dr. Suzanne Bennett, Manhattan OB/GYN, started the afternoon by providing basic information regarding annual exams. According to her, the recommendations have changed.

“We like to start around age 19 or when a girl becomes sexually active in order to screen for HPV and other sexually transmitted diseases,” Bennett said. “Fortunately, we don’t need to take Pap smears until a woman becomes sexually active because she can’t contract cervical cancer without having sex.”

Each exam entails height and weight checks, as well as pelvic, skin and abdominal exams used to screen for vaginal and uterine cancer. Though there are more than 250 different strains of HPV, treatment is much less aggressive today than it once was, according to Bennett. Instead of removing every suspicious lesion, doctors typically

only remove moderate to severe ones and take biopsies in milder situations as two-thirds of these lesions will eventually go into remission on their own.

Bennett also acknowledged the recent Gardasil vaccination. She said it protects against the four most common strains of HPV and recommended girls get the vaccine between the ages of 9 and 26, before their first sexual contact.

Because these illnesses are so serious, Bennett stressed the fact that women should be able to talk to their doctors without embarrassment. They need to hear answers to their questions not just from a friend or neighbor, but directly from a professional. She encouraged her patients to bring a list of questions along to appointments and bring up any concerns about unexplained pain or bleeding.

“Annual exams need to be scheduled months in advance, but if you are having symptoms like persistent pelvic pain, you should be able to see a doctor within a week,” said Bennett.

Radiologist Tom Place said he believed in the life saving power of mammography.

“There’s a lot of junk out there on the Internet about the controversy of mammograms, but the truth of the matter is that they decrease mortality rates,”

Place said.

“About 7 percent of women who come in for mammography will get a call back about an abnormality.”

Tom Place  
radiologist

A mammogram is an X-ray of the breast that uses very low radiation energy to take pictures of the tissue after the breast has been flattened to about 3 centimeters. Because the breast is mostly composed of fatty tissue, it doesn’t take much to produce a picture that doctors can search for any abnormalities, such as cysts, calcifications and masses.

Some women worry that even the small amount of radiation can be dangerous, but Place said the amount of radiation your body absorbs in one mammogram is less than you’d absorb riding on an airplane for half an hour.

Place said breast cancer is the No. 3 killer of all women, behind cardiovascular disease and lung cancer. One in every six women

will be diagnosed with breast cancer each year and about 30,000 American women die from it. As a result, it is usually recommended that women start getting mammograms at the age of 30.

“About 7 percent of women who come in for mammography will get a call back about an abnormality,” Place said. “That means in 10 years, a woman is likely to get at least one call back.”

Fortunately, Place said, most of the time the abnormality turns out to be fine, due to factors like breast density that can cause the image to appear cloudy or as if tissues are overlapping. The younger a woman is, the greater of the density of her breasts, making it hard to read the image.

Place also addressed women’s

questions regarding breast MRIs in comparison with traditional mammography.

“MRIs are extremely sensitive to any abnormalities, although it’s a good defense for women with high breast cancer risk, it can easily lead to unnecessary alarm,” Place said.

Factors like alcohol abuse, excess weight and sedentary life style designate “high risk,” according to Place. Women are also more likely to be diagnosed if they have at least two first-degree relatives, such as a mother or sister, who have been diagnosed with breast cancer.

Studies have also found that race can play an important role, according to Place. Although as a whole Caucasian women are more likely to be diagnosed, African-American women are more likely to be diagnosed at a

younger age. These higher risk individuals are encouraged to undergo more frequent screenings and often seek genetic counseling for advice.

Victoria Fort, intern at Lafene Health Center, concluded the afternoon by reminding attendees to take advantage of the services available at the Women’s Clinic. Students and faculty can receive breast exams, HPV vaccinations and contact their triage nurse with any questions they may have regarding whether or not an appointment is necessary.

“Having the Women’s Clinic at Lafene is great because it allows students and faculty to get the kind of care they need at a much lower cost than if they were to go else where in the community,” Fort said. “And it’s so convenient to have a lab for testing and a pharmacy there as well.”



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**To have your Celebrations! photo run in color for \$25, check the box and put your phone number in the line beside it. A representative will call you to collect payment.** ☐

Celebrations will be published the first Monday of the month in Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec., Feb., March, April and May. The deadline for submitting your announcement in the paper is noon two business days preceding the publication date.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

**Your name** \_\_\_\_\_

local address \_\_\_\_\_

city, state & zip \_\_\_\_\_

area ccode & phone number \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

**Your signature** \_\_\_\_\_

date submitted \_\_\_\_\_

**Retiree’s name** \_\_\_\_\_

company \_\_\_\_\_

years with company \_\_\_\_\_

graduation month & year \_\_\_\_\_

major \_\_\_\_\_

school \_\_\_\_\_

Other info \_\_\_\_\_

To place an advertisement call  
**785-532-6555**

advertising

classifieds



**110**  
Rent-Apt. Unfurnished

**TWO-BEDROOM,** two bathroom, luxury apartment. Half a block to KSU. Washer/ dryer, dishwasher, microwave, balcony. No pets. Available now. **785-537-7050.**

**120**  
Rent-Houses & Duplexes

**THREE-BEDROOM,** one bath main floor apartment for rent, 931 Vattier. **Washer/ dryer,** window air-conditioning, fenced yard, **pet friendly.** 785-539-4949.

**120**  
Rent-Houses & Duplexes

**TWO, THREE, or four-bedroom** close to campus. Dishwasher, central air, laundry facilities, no pets. **785-539-0866.**

Need a roommate?

Advertise It works.

Kedzie 103  
785-532-6555

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Bulletin Board

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Announcements

LEARN TO FLY! K-State Flying Club has three airplanes and lowest rates. Call 785-562-6909 or visit [www.ksu.edu/ksfc](http://www.ksu.edu/ksfc).

**020**  
Lost and Found

FOUND BLACKBERRY in Kedzie hall. Come to Business Office, 103 Kedzie, to claim.

MISSING ORNATE Box Turtle. Has red eyes and yellow dashes on back. Lost on Tuesday (10/25) between 2:30p.m. and 6:30p.m. around Hillcrest Drive. Contact 316-371-1916.

**100**  
Housing/Real Estate

**105**  
Rent-Apt. Furnished

**MANHATTAN CITY Ordinance 4814** assures every person equal opportunity in housing without distinction on account of race, sex, familial status, military status, disability, religion, age, color, national origin or ancestry. Violations should be reported to the Director of Human Resources at City Hall, 785-587-2440.

**110**  
Rent-Apt. Unfurnished

**TWO-BEDROOM APARTMENT** just west of campus and still close to Aggieville. Fresh paint on all walls! Only \$635/ month! Move-in January 1st! Emerald Property Management 785-587-9000.

**Need a sublesser?**  
**Advertise**  
**785-532-6555**

**115**  
Rooms Available

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Rent-Houses & Duplexes

**BE THE first** to live on the brand new carpeting and see the fresh new paint! Four-bedroom, two bath. Great floor plan. Only \$1120/month! Move-in January 1st! Emerald Property Management 785-587-9000.

**120**  
Rent-Houses & Duplexes

**ALL YOURS!** One-bedroom apartment just west of campus. Only \$475/ month! Move-in January 1st! Emerald Property Management 785-587-9000.

**ONE-BEDROOM** CLOSE to campus/ Aggieville in newer complex, no pets. 785-313-7473, [johngrivine@sbcglobal.net](mailto:johngrivine@sbcglobal.net).

**THREE, FOUR-BEDROOM,** three bathroom. Central air, dishwasher, washer/ dryer, garage. 785-539-5800.

**150**  
Sublease

ONE BEDROOM available Spring in three-bedroom, one bath. Share house with fun, clean, dependable females. One-third rent plus utilities. Very close to campus/ Aggieville, 913-904-8295.

**310**  
Help Wanted

STUDENTPAYOUTS.-COM. paid survey takers needed in Manhattan. 100% free to join. Click on surveys.

TACO LUCHA is now hiring Bar, Wait, and Door help. Apply in person at 1130 Moro (So Long Saloon).

THE MANHATTAN Housing Authority is seeking a Part-Time Office Assistant for Kansas Careers Work Study program. 20-25 hours per week with flexible scheduling to fit student needs. Daytime hours only, no week-ends. Employment applications available at [www.mhaks.com](http://www.mhaks.com) or at 300 N 5th Street, Manhattan. For more information, please call 785-776-8588 ext 306. Manhattan Housing Authority is an equal opportunity employer.

EARN \$1000- \$3200 a month to drive new cars with ads. [www.FreeCarJobs.com](http://www.FreeCarJobs.com)

EXTRAS NEEDED to stand in the backgrounds for a major film production. Earn up to \$200 per day. No experience required. All looks needed. Call 877-460-0658.

**330**  
Business Opportunities

**THE COLLEGIAN cannot verify the financial potential of advertisements in the Employment/ Opportunities classifications. Readers are advised to approach any such business opportunity with reasonable caution.** The Collegian urges our readers to contact the Better Business Bureau, 501 SE Jefferson, Topeka, KS 66607-1190. 785-232-0454.

**BARTENDING!** \$300 a day potential. No experience necessary. Training provided. Call 800-965-6520 extension 144.

**CHIPOTLE.** WORK at a place where you ACTUALLY want to eat the food. Now hiring for all shifts. Apply in person at 606 N. Manhattan Ave.

K-STATE COMMUNICATIONS and Marketing seeks a Business Manager. Individual serves as accountant for the Division. Coordinates and supervises work of clerical employees who provide additional bookkeeping assistance. Bachelor's degree in accounting, finance, or business administration and 5 years experience required. K-State is an equal opportunity/ affirmative action employer. Background checks required. More information: <http://www.k-state.edu/vpcm/jobs/>

**500**  
Transportation

**510**  
Automobiles

2003 CHRYSLER Town & Country minivan, second row quad seating, rear air. Excellent condition. 169,650 miles. \$4,600. 785-313-4544.

**Find a Job** Help Wanted Section

**Pregnancy Testing Center**  
**539-3338**  
[www.PTCkansas.com](http://www.PTCkansas.com)

**Conceptis Sudoku** By Dave Green

	9		8		5			
2			6	3				4
	6		9	4	1			
7								5
	5		3	1	4			
3			8	5				9
	4			1		3		

Difficulty Level ★★★ 8/04

8	5	2	6	7	3	4	9	1
3	1	9	2	8	4	6	5	7
7	6	4	9	1	5	2	3	8
4	3	1	5	2	9	7	8	6
5	9	8	4	6	7	3	1	2
2	7	6	1	3	8	9	4	5
6	2	5	3	4	1	8	7	9
1	8	3	7	9	6	5	2	4
9	4	7	8	5	2	1	6	3

Difficulty Level ★★★ 8/01

Answer to the last Sudoku.

**“Real Options, Real Help, Real Hope”**  
**Free pregnancy testing**  
**Totally confidential service**  
**Same day results**  
**Call for appointment**  
Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Across from campus in Anderson Village

**Deadlines**

Classified ads must be placed by noon the day before you want your ad to run. Classified display ads must be placed by 4 p.m. two working days prior to the date you want your ad to run.

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**E-mail** [classifieds@spub.ksu.edu](mailto:classifieds@spub.ksu.edu)

**Classified Rates**

1 DAY  
20 words or less \$14.00  
each word over 20 20¢ per word

2 DAYS  
20 words or less \$16.20  
each word over 20 25¢ per word

3 DAYS  
20 words or less \$19.00  
each word over 20 30¢ per word

4 DAYS  
20 words or less \$21.15  
each word over 20 35¢ per word

5 DAYS  
20 words or less \$23.55  
each word over 20 40¢ per word (consecutive day rate)

**To Place An Ad**

Go to Kedzie 103 (across from the K-State Student Union.) Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**How To Pay**

All classifieds must be paid in advance unless you have an account with Student Publications Inc. Cash, check, MasterCard or Visa are accepted. There is a \$25 service charge on all returned checks. We reserve the right to edit, reject or properly classify any ad.

**Corrections**

If you find an error in your ad, please call us. We accept responsibility only for the first wrong insertion.

**Cancellations**

If you sell your item before your ad has expired, we will refund you for the remaining days. You must call us before noon the day before the ad is to be published.



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